Seizure and testing of spurious drugs

†2076. SHRI SATYAVRAT CHATURVEDI:
SHRI MOTILAL VORA:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of spurious drugs seized in the country during last one year;

(b) the number of chemist shops and the number of drug inspectors in Delhi;

(c) whether it is a fact that there are 27 drug testing laboratories in the country and only seven out of them are available for proper testing facilities;

(d) whether Government is satisfied with the number of drug inspectors and the number of laboratories; and

(e) the number of chemist shops inspected during last one year and the results thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI DINESH TRIVEDI): (a) Information is being collected from the State Licensing Authorities.

(b) There are 14667 chemist shops in Delhi. The Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi has 28 Drugs Inspectors. Apart from that, the Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO) also has 6 Drugs Inspectors in their North Zone, which include Delhi.

(c) No, There are 6 Central Drug Testing Laboratories in the country. As per information maintained by the Government, the State/UT Governments also have about 72 laboratories for testing of samples of drugs and food.

(d) Yes, the CDSCO had earlier 32 posts of Drugs Inspectors, out of which 22 are in position. 137 more posts of Drugs Inspectors have been created and the vacant posts are in different stages of filling up. The State/UT Governments have also been requested time and again to further strengthen the infrastructure by recruiting more number of Inspectors and upgrade the testing facility to test more number of samples.

(e) As per the information received from the concerned State Drugs Control Organizations 183020 chemist shops were inspected during the last year and 8418 licenses were suspended/cancelled.

Establishment of medical, dental and ayurvedic colleges

2077. SHRI KHEKIHO ZHIMOMI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government has recently given permission to start more than 150 medical, dental and ayurvedic colleges in the country;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether Government has ensured that students belonging to SC/ST, Backward Society and economically weak classes also get the chance for admission in these colleges;

(d) whether out of these 150 colleges, some are in the North-Eastern States;

(e) whether Government has received some proposal for permission from North Eastern States to open medical, dental or ayurvedic colleges;

(f) if so, the details thereof; and

(g) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI DINESH TRIVEDI): (a) and (b) The Central Government has granted permission for setting up of 11 (eleven) medical colleges, 10 (ten) dental colleges, and 5 (five) Ayurveda Medical colleges in the country in the year 2009. The list of such colleges is given in the Statement-I. (*See* below)

(c) At the State level, the State Governments follow their own reservation policy.

(d) No.

(e) to (g) The details of proposals received from North Eastern States to open medical and dental colleges is given in the Statement-II. (*See* below) No proposal for establishment of ayurvedic medical college in North Eastern States has been received. As per the Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970 and the Regulations made thereunder, it is for the State Government to decide the need to start an ayurvedic medical college. The Central Government grants permission for establishment of ayurvedic medical college on the Essentiality Certificate given by the respective State Government and availability of infrastructural facilities.

Statement-I

List of Medical Colleges

Sl. No.	Name of applicant	No. of seats
1	2	3
1.	Gujarat Adani Institute of Medical Sciences, G.K. Hospital, Bhuj, Gujarat by Adani Institute of Medical Sciences Society.	150
2.	K.J. Mehta T.B. Hospital and College of Medical Sciences, Bhavnagar, Gujarat by K.J Mehta T.B. Hospital.	150
3.	A.M.C. Medical Education Trust Medical College, Ahmedabad, Gujarat by Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation Medical College Society.	150

1	2	3
4.	Hindustan Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh by Sharda Educational Trust, Agra, Uttar Pradesh.	100
5.	Hind Institute of Medical Sciences, Barabanki, Uttar Pradesh by Hind Charitable Trust, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh.	100
6.	Sree Narayana Institute of Medical Sciences, Chalakka, Ernakulam, Kerala by Gurudeva Charitable Trust.	100
7.	Karpaga Vinayaga Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre, Kanchipuram, Tamil Nadu by Karpaga Vinayaga Educational Trust, Tamil Nadu	100
8.	Chennai Medical College and Hospital, Trichurapallai, Tamil Nadu by SRM University.	150
9.	L.N. Medical College and Research Centre, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh by H.K. Kalchuri Educational Trust, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh.	150
10.	Travancore Medical College, Kollam, Kerala by Quilon Medical Trust, Kollam, Kerala	100
11.	Sagar Medical College, Sagar, Madhya Pradesh by Government of Madhya Pradesh.	100
	TOTAL	1350

List of Dental Colleges

Sl. No.	Name of the dental college	No. of seats
1	2	3
1.	Faculty of Dentistry, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi	50
2.	Sathyabama University Dental College, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	100
3.	College of Dental Sciences, Shri K.J. Mehta T.B. Hospital, Amargadh, Bhavnagar, Gujarat	100
4.	AMC Dental College, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	100
5.	Mahe Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Mahe, Puducherry	100
6.	Government Dental College, Burdwan, West Bengal	100
7.	Shaheed Kartar Singh Sarabha Dental College, Sarabha, Ludhiana, Punjab	50

1	2	3
8.	Vaidik Dental College and Research Centre, Daman	100
9.	D.Y. Patil Dental College, Kolhapur, Maharashtra	100
10.	Guardian College of Dental Science and Research, Thane, Maharashtra	100
	TOTAL	900

List of Ayurveda Medical College

Sl. No.	Name of the Ayurveda college	No. of seats
1.	Bharat Ayurveda Medical College and Hospital, Muzaffarnagar, Uttar Pradesh	50
2.	Sekhawati Ayurvedic College, Pillani, Rajasthan	50
3.	Patanjali Bhartiya Ayurvigyan Avam Anusandhan Sansthan, Haridwar, Uttarakhand	50
4.	Dhanwantri Ayurvedic Medical College, Mathura, Uttar Pradesh	50
5.	Government Ayurveda Medical College, Kottar, Nagercoil, Tamil Nadu	50
	TOTAL	250

Statement-II

Proposals received for establishment of new medical/dental college in North Eastern States

Sl.No.	Dental College
1.	Dental College, Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal, Manipur.
2.	Assam Dental College, Guwahati, Assam
	Medical College
1.	Down Town Charity Trust, Guwahati, Assam
2.	Society for Medical Education, Barpeta, Assam
3.	Society for Medical Education, Jorhat, Assam
4.	Government Medical College, Imphal by Government of Manipur
5.	Government Medical College, Dimapur by Government of Nagaland.